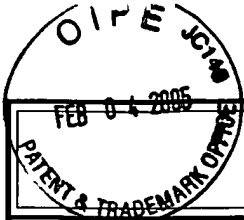


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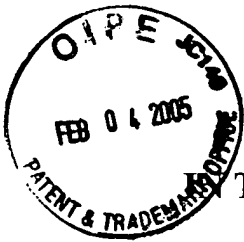
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Patentees request that the Director issue a certificate of correction to correct the listing of the names of the assignees and to correct typographical errors in the claims.

An error occurs in the printed patent at the space designated for the Assignee. The current listing which reads "Roy Mattson, Longmont, CO" is incorrect. The information designated for the Assignee should read as follows: "Roy W. Mattson, Jr., Longmont, CO (US) and Paulette C. Ogden, Longmont, CO (US)". A copy of the Notice of Recordation of Assignment in this case is attached hereto.

The same typographical error occurs in the printed patent in claims 1, 3, 5-7, 11. The word "the" before the term "underwater" should be deleted from: claim 1 (column 13, line 10); claim 3 (column 13, line 41); claim 5 (column 13, line 62); claim 6 (column 14, line 14); claim 7 (column 14, line 30); and claim 11 (column 14, line 57).

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Another typographical error occurs in the printed patent in claim 5 where the "W" of the word "Water" in column 13, line 62 should be a small case "w".

The failures to list the correct names of the assignees on form PTOL-85B as filed and to correct the typographical errors during prosecution were inadvertent and occurred in good faith.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In the space for Assignee, the phrase "Roy Mattson, Longmont, CO" should be changed to --Roy W. Mattson, Jr. , Longmont, CO (US) and Paulette C. Ogden, Longmont, CO (US)--.

In column 13, lines 10-11, the portion of the claim reading "water in the tub from the underwater" should read --water in the tub from underwater--.

In column 13, lines 41-42, the portion of the claim reading "water in the tub from the underwater" should read --water in the tub from underwater--.

In column 13, lines 62-63, the portion of the claim reading "Water in the tub from the underwater" should read --water in the tub from underwater--.

In column 14, lines 14-15, the portion of the claim reading "water in the tub from the underwater" should read --water in the tub from underwater--.

In column 14, lines 30-31, the portion of the claim reading "water in the tub from the underwater" should read --water in the tub from underwater--.

In column 14, lines 57-58, the portion of the claim reading "water in the tub from the underwater" should read --water in the tub from underwater--.

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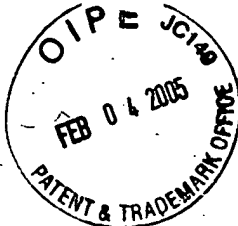
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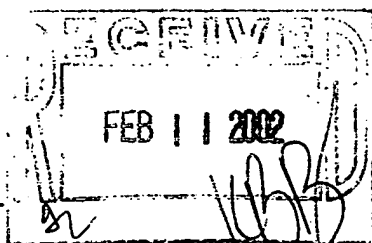
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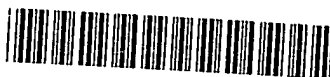
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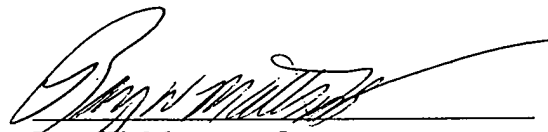


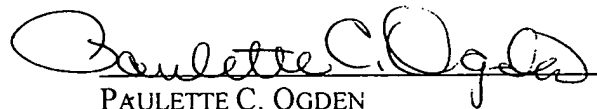
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